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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO **OFFICE ACTION MAILED ON JUNE 6, 2006**

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 6, 2006, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of the above-referenced application in view of the following amendments and remarks.